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8 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**  
9 **DISTRICT OF NEVADA**

10 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,  
11 Plaintiff,  
12 v.  
13 FRANCISCO VASQUEZ,  
14 Defendant.

Case No. 2:19-cr-00175-JCM-BNW  
**STIPULATION TO CONTINUE  
CHANGE OF PLEA HEARING**  
(Second Request)

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16 IT IS HEREBY STIPULATED AND AGREED, by and between  
17 Nicholas A. Trutanich, United States Attorney, and Susan Cushman, Assistant United  
18 States Attorney, counsel for the United States of America, and Rene L. Valladares,  
19 Federal Public Defender, and Nisha Brooks-Whittington, Assistant Federal Public Defender,  
20 counsel for Francisco Vasquez, that the Change of Plea Hearing currently scheduled on  
21 October 16, 2020 at 10:30 a.m., be vacated and continued to a date and time convenient to the  
22 Court, but no sooner than forty-five (45) days.

23 This Stipulation is entered into for the following reasons:

24 1. Defense counsel needs additional time to review her client's criminal history to  
25 determine his eligibility for safety valve. Counsel further needs to discuss the results of her  
26 review with her client so that he can determine how he wishes to proceed with this case.

2. The defendant is in custody and agrees with the need for the continuance.

3. The parties agree to the continuance.

4. On August 17, 2020, this court granted the parties' stipulation to continue trial in this matter until January 4, 2021. ECF 37.

This is the second request for a continuance of the Change of Plea hearing.

DATED this 13th day of October 2020.

RENE L. VALLADARES  
Federal Public Defender

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*/s/ Nisha Brooks-Whittington*  
By \_\_\_\_\_

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Assistant Federal Public Defender

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By \_\_\_\_\_

SUSAN CUSHMAN  
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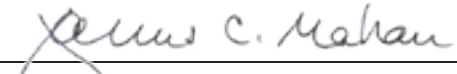
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**ORDER**

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10 Based on the stipulation of counsel, good cause appearing, and the best interest of justice  
11 being served:

12 IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that the Change of Plea hearing currently scheduled  
13 for Friday, October 16, 2020 at 10:30 a.m., be vacated and continued to December 11, 2020  
14 at the hour of 11:00 a.m.

15 DATED October 13, 2020.

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18 UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE  
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